

Sub C1
plurality of second contacts.

Sub C2
6. (Amended) The apparatus of claim 5, the nickel being formed to a thickness of 0.5 to 20 μm , and the gold being formed to a thickness of 0.1 μm or greater.

Sub C3
7. (Amended) The apparatus of claim 5, the nickel being formed to a thickness of 1.27 μm , and the gold being formed to a thickness of 0.3 μm .

Sub C3
--19. The apparatus of claim 1, said bent portion comprising only a single bend in each one of said plurality of elastic members, said bend providing all of said elastic restoration force of each one of said plurality of elastic members.

Sub C3
--20. The apparatus of claim 1, each one of said elastic members being absent of a coil spring, said elastic member being absent a rigid conductive member.